GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – M.A. & U.D. Department – Certain irregularities in maintenance of Sanitary Materials and Registers in Samalkot Municipality, East Godavari District- Departmental Proceedings instituted against Smt.B.Jyothilaxmi, the then Municipal Commissioner and Sri.K. Prasad, Sanitary Inspector, Samalkot Municipality- Inquiry ordered – Inquiry Report submitted - Charges held 'not proved' - Further action dropped - Orders – Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No..540 **Dated: 29.08.2023.**

Read the following:-

1. From the Director General, General Administration (V & E) Department, Vigilance Report No.3 (C.No.343/V&E(Dev.II)/D1/2011), dated: 10.01.2013.
2. G.O.Rt.No.1086-1088, M.A. & U.D.(Vig.I) Department, dated 23.11.2018.
3. G.O.Rt.No. 212, M.A. & U.D. (Vig.I) Dept., dated :29.04.2021.
4. G.O.Rt.No.213, M.A. & U.D. (Vig.I) Dept., dated 29.04.2021.
5. From Sri N.V.V Satyanarayana Rao,RDMA Rajamahendravaram, inquiry report Dt.07.11.2022
6. Govt.Memo.No.13391/vig.I/2013 dated:31.03.2023.
7. Written representation from Smt.B.Jyothilaxmi, the then Municipal Commissioner and Sri.K. Prasad, Sanitary Inspector, Samalkot Municipality.

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O R D E R:

Whereas, in the reference 1st read above, the G.A (V&E) Department, among others, recommended to initiate departmental action against Smt.B.Jyothilaxmi, the then Municipal Commissioner and Sri.K. Prasad, Sanitary Inspector, Samalkot Municipality on the allegation that they failed to maintain store room and proper registers for sanitary material in Samalkot Municipality, East Godavari District. Accordingly, after following due procedure, Government in the reference 2nd read above, initiated disciplinary proceedings by framing articles of charges against the said two (2) A.Os of Samalkot Municipality.

2. Whereas, in the reference 3rd read above, orders were issued, appointing Sri N.V.V Satyanarayana Rao,RDMA,Rajamahendravaram, as an Inquiry Officer to inquire into the charges framed against Smt.B.Jyothi Lakshmi, Municipal Commissioner and Sri K.Prasad, Sanitary Inspector, Samalkot Municipality.

3. Whereas, in the reference 4th read above, orders were issued, appointing the Municipal Commissioner, Samalkot Municipality as Presenting Officer, to present the case before the Inquiry Officer on behalf of the Disciplinary Authority.

4. Whereas, in the references 5th read above, the Inquiry Officer has submitted his Inquiry Report concluding that the charges framed against the said two Charged Officers are not held proved. In the reference 6th read above, a copy of Inquiry report was communicated to the charged officers i.e., Smt.B.Jyothi Lakshmi, the then Municipal Commissioner and Sri K.Prasad, Sanitary Inspector, Samalkot Municipality, East Godavari District under Rule 21 (2) of APCS (CC&A) Rules 1991 and directed to submit their written representations, if any, on the findings of the inquiry officer.

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5. In the reference 7th read above, Smt.B.Jyothi Lakshmi, the then Municipal Commissioner and Sri K.Prasad, Sanitary Inspector, Samalkot Municipality have submitted their written representations duly accepting the findings of Inquiry Officer and requested to drop further action against them.

6. Government after careful examination of the matter; keeping in view of the findings of the inquiry report and after following due procedure, it has been decided to drop further action against Smt.B.Jyothi Lakshmi, the then Municipal Commissioner and Sri K.Prasad, Sanitary Inspector, Samalkot Municipality, East Godavari District, as the charges are held not proved in the inquiry.

7. Accordingly, Government hereby order to drop further action against Smt.B.Jyothi Lakshmi, the then Municipal Commissioner and Sri K.Prasad, Sanitary Inspector, Samalkot Municipality East Godavari District.

8. The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P. Guntur shall take further necessary action, in the matter.

9. The receipt of G.O., shall be acknowledged.

Y. SRILAKSHMI
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt.B.Jyothilaxmi, the then Municipal Commissioner, Samalkot
Municipality (through the CDMA, A.P. Guntur).
Sri K.Prasad, the then Sanitary Inspector, Samalkot
Municipality (through the CDMA, A.P. Guntur)
The Commissioner & Director of Municipal Administration, A.P. Guntur
Copy to:
The Secretary to APVC, AP Secretariat, Velagapudi.
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